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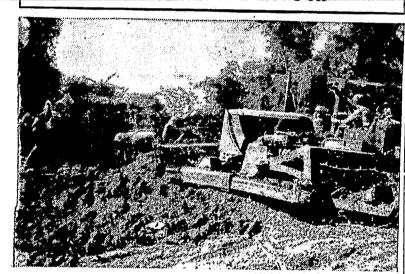
Watching the Enemy



A U. S. soldier observes the fleeing enemy through the windows of a shelled These boys are also watching what we in the home front do in the Mighty Seventh War Loan Drive. You can reassure them through the purchase of more and more Bonds.

From U. S. Treasury

The New and the Old



Official U. S. Signal Corps Photo A survey party mounted on elephants passes a bulldozer operated by American soldiers on the Ledo read in the North Burma jungles. Your War Bonds help American seldiers fight both the jungle country and the Mps.

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Thursday evening, Mrs Hodsdon
was presented with a gift of monecy and refreshments were served
following a social evening, Mrs Losi
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may be filed at any time.

Fishing and Farming

The age-old controversy along the cost of Maine as to the dividing line between fishing and farming has been revived by the bill introduced this past week by Senator Brewster and Congressman Fellows to declare "fishing as farming" for purposes of OPA regulations in order to give to fishermen the benefits of the provisions of trucks are declared surplus.

MANE IN WASHINGTON

(From the Office of Owen Brewster, U S S)

Increasing the Meat Supply
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States, A meeting of interested of the lower of the Secretary Anderson has indicated by the States, A meeting of interested on the Company of Agriculture of A

increase in our population during July. August and September.

The revised order will afford relief along these lines allowing a shift in the base period.

One irate constituent was disturbed by the suggestion that our rations were being increased to provide for our summer visitors oblivious of the fact that without this increase everyone concerned would be obliged to scramble for their proportionate share of half a loaf or less.

Any increase in the miota will not be labeled for any particular person or group but will simply intrease the supply in that area and it will then depend upon the usual distributors to see its equitable allocation and the year-round customers will undoubtedly receive their proper consideration.

The order is designed to allow the usual channels of distribution to increase their quotas and allocations according to the seasonal pattern of one year ago and the national distributors have indicated their readiness to cooperate and the proposal and it is becaused.

Travel Regulations

The new regulations curtailing Pullman travel are being studied with much interest in Washington and their effect on travel into interest in view of the volume of travel that is in prospect—both by servicemen returning home and allow by servicemen from other states who wish to enjoy a thirty or sixty day furiough with their families in their old vacation launts in Maine.

The very considerable volume of daytime travel moving into Maine will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains, are another matter and will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains, are another matter and will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains, are another matter and will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains, are another matter and will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains, are nother matter and will apparently not be maerially effected. The overnight trains to make the seasonal pattern of one year ago and the na-

cations according to the seasonal pattern of one year ago and the national distributors have indicated their readiness to cooperate and assured all concerned here that meat from outside points would start rolling toward Maine this past week.

Meanwhile, local slaughterers were permitted to be given increased quotas under the new law by the Secretary of Agriculture and petitions looking to this increase may be filed at any time.

Fishing and Farming

Boston and thence by day trains to Maine in many instances.

Surplus Trucks

The first ray or sunshine from the Surplus Property Board in connection with its enormous task of disposing of more than a million dollars worth of a vast variety of goods came to Maine this last week when twenty surplus trucks were assigned to Maine to assist in the movement of the potato crop.

This is part of an allocation going generally over the country and thrucks go to dealers for relative

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD FOR LT. LAWRENCE PERRY

Lawrence B Perry on Sunday, July

and Mrs Joseph Perry, and one brother, Robert, who is now serv-ing with the Pacific Fleet. Out of town relatives and friends attending the services were Mr and Mrs Richard Babb of Lewiston and Mr and Mrs Harland Shaw of South Paris.

NAME COMMITTEES FOR
CONG. SUMMER SALE
The annual summer sale sponsored by the Ladies club and guild of the Congregational Church will be held Aug 9 at Garland Chapel. Following are the committees:
Apron mart, Mrs Ava Austin, Mrs Gayle Foster, Mrs H M Farwell, Miss Frances Hodgdon, Mrs Benton Goodwin, Mrs Robert Blake, Mrs E

Tea corner, Mrs Roscoe Andrews
Mrs Jack Carter, Mrs Daniel DurWilson, Mrs E A Van DenKerckrell, Mrs Estelle Goggin, Mrs Harry
hoven, Mrs Charles Gorman, Mrs
Homer Smith, Mrs Olive Lurvey.
Flower arrangements, Mrs R R
Tibbetts, Miss Gwendigen Stearns,
Mrs G L Thurston, Mrs Norris
Brown.



Official U.S. Navy Photo Gld Glory serves. Philippine Americans use flag to identify themselves when seeking food and munitions on Navy LIC. War Bonds helped buy the supplies they received.

U.S. Treasury Department *********

Dr. W. H. Boynton has

WAVE Enlistments Memorial services were held at N.E. Quota Increases

Lawrence B Perry on Sunday, July 8, at 3:30 p. m.

Prof Gerald Cushing of Hebron and Dixfield conducted the services, assisted by Mrs Fred Love-joy at the organ, Mrs Sylvia Luxton and Mrs Hazel Wheeler sang "The Old Rugged Cross."

Lt Perry was born in Bethel Nov. 3, 1919, and killed in action over France June 6, 1944. He atlease of work on the "business end" of Guam.

The quota of New England recall that a just been increased because this section has always had enthusiastic responce from its patriotic citizens. The Navy is now calling for additional young women for the Hospital Corps to help care for the wounded and ill, and do all types of work on the "business end" of Cpl Norman Hale is now on Guam.

Lit Perry was born in Bethel Nov. 3, 1919, and killed in action over France June 6, 1944. He attended the local schools and Gould Academy, from which he graduated in 1937.

He enlisted in the Army Air Forces Oct. 3, 1941, going to Keesher Field, Miss., where he graduated at all the Nover of the Women's Reserve are performed as School on April 2, 1912 as airplane mechanic, Later he octain a Avaidor Cadet and received pilot training at several schools in the South.

He received his commission as Second Lieutenant upon graduation at Craig Field, Seima, Ala, May 25, 1943. He went oversea late in the fall of 1943 and was stationed at an army air base in England. In March 1944 he was promoted to First Lieutenant. During his stay in England he received the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. Ala, May while the need is still great. Ala, May while the need is still great. Ala, May in the fall of 1943 and was stationed at an army air base in England. The control of the control of the promotion of Arthur W Grady in England he received the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters.

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Dick Young's Service Station.

Mr and Mrs George Currier have been visiting relatives in town.

Mrs John Edwards left Thursday for a visit in Lexington, Mass.

All has been advanced to his present that the Naval Aviation Prepara-Mrs John Edwards left Thursday for a visit in Lexington, Mass.

Miss Grace Farwell of Gorham,
H, visited Mrs H P Austin Tues-

deford with Miss Doris Kneeland.
Mr and Mrs Edward Hutchins
of Brandon, Vt, spent the week end
with Mr and Mrs Frank Bartlett. Miss Carolyn Merrill of Bath, who has been visiting her grand-parents, returned home Wednes-

Providence.

Ann Brown celebrated her third birthday with a party last Friday afternoon. Those present were Mrs Statiley Brown, Mrs Don Brown, Mrs Ernest Blake, Bolby and Betty, Mrs Ernest Angevine, Barbara and Dicky, Mrs Merren Blake and Alice Jean, Penny Toyle Merce Was installed as president by Mrs Carrie French.

It was voted to have a food sale this month if material could be obtained.

The next meeting will be July 24 at the home of Mr and Mrs John Meserve in Albany with a pot-luck supper. and Dicky, Mrs Warren Blake and supper.

Alice Jean, Penny Davis, Mary Twenty-six members of the LeLuxton, Mrs Carl Brown and Ann
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honorable discharge from the Army.

Winfield Robertson has returned home from the European war area.
Cpl John King is at home from Florida on furlough.
Pvt Pauline Bean, WAC, of Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, is enjoying a furlough at her home at Sunday River.

Procurement to accept applications from seventeen-year-old civilians who have graduated or will be high school graduates on or before October 1, 1945.

Applicants selected for this program will commence their training on November 1, 1945 with one to two terms of college followed by pre-flight and flight fraining.

for July.

The following committees were named for the Flower Show which is to be held August 23: Class one, centerpiece for dinner table in low container. Mrs Sherman Greenleaf, Mrs Hugh Thurston; class 2, boundaries for kitchen arranged in cook-quet for kitchen arranged in co quet for kitchen arranged in cook-ing utensils. Mrs Stanley Wentzell, Mrs Carl Brown; class 3, bouquet a shades of pink and white in glass Carolisa and Betty, of Lynn, Mass, are spending a week at their home. Mrs chesley Saunders, Mrs and Mrs Roy Moore and Stanley are moving this week to their home, recently purchased on the Mayville road.

Mr and Mrs Chester French and Mrs William Perkins and datignfer, Carol Ann, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Herbert Tiffi.

Dr and Mrs Herbert Tiffi.

Dr and Mrs Oneil Robertson returned to their home in Philadelphia Saturday after a short visit with Dr Robertson's mother, Mrs Mabel S Robertson.

Mrs Hattie Vail who has been spending some time with her sod Lynn Report and Carolis Lapham, Mrs Laslie Lapham, Mrs Lynn Reports and facult there say large the fact of the fac

Discontinue Ceilings On Employment In Rumford Area

The elimination of employment The elimination of employment ceilings in the Rumford area effective immediately will benefit many employers engaged in essential war production, according to Lynward F Ashton, Manager of the United States Employment office in Rumford, All other labor stabilization regulations of the War Manpower Commission are still in effect, Ashton said.

Mrs John Edwards left Thursday for a visit in Lexington, Mass.

Miss Grace Farwell of Gorham, H, visited Mrs H P Austin Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Shaw of Portland is visiting her mother, Mrs Lena Shaw.

Miss Mary Gibbs has gone to Old Orchard where she has employ-

series of the se to Camp Devens, Mass, after spending a short leave with his brother and wife. Mr and Mrs John DeCoster at Gliead.

Pyt Wallace Saunders left Saturders y a spending a two week furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs C F Saunders. Mrs Wallace, Saunders accompanying him to Boston.

Thomas T Alien, PhM3'c, USNR, Newport, R I visited his grandparants. Mr and Mrs Mark C Alien, Bryant Pond several days this week.

Aubrey Cummings has received word from his daughter, Volma P Cummings, H-Al'c, USNR, that she has arrived safely at her overseas destination.

W S C S FLOWER SHOW COMMITTEES NAMED

The W S C S met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mis Wessiey Wheeler, it was voted to give slim toward the repair of the foundation of the kitchen and the following committee was appointed to confer with the trustees about the arrangement of the sink: Mrs Sierman Greenleaf, Mrs Earl Davis, and Mrs Perry Lapham. The cleaning committees for July are as follows: JJuly 14, Mrs Earl Davis and Mrs Perry Lapham. The Ception after the ceremony. Vases well be at home July 16 at their Davis and Mrs Perry Lapham. The Ception after the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their Davis and Mrs Perry Lapham. The Ception after the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their days for the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their days for the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their days for the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their days for the ceremony. They will be at home July 16 at their days for the ceremony was performed by the bride suncle, Rev. Bern. Harpswell, Sunday a terroon, The double ring ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, Rev. Bern. Harpswell, Sunday a terroon, The bride is the bride's uncle, Rev. Bern. Attending the couple were Mrs Batty Mrs Crockett wore a navy blue street dress with white accessories and a matching hat. Her corsage was of white flowers, and a graduate of Norway and in a graduate of Norway a

vis, and Mis Perry Lapham, The couple were tendered a recleaning committees for July as collows: JJuly 14, Mrs Earl will be at home July 16 at their Davis and Mrs Perry Lapham; July will be at home July 16 at their apartment on 13 Tucker Street.

ALLOW INCREASE FOR CLASS 2 SLAUGHTERERS

announced today The change be-came effective July 1.
This means that their former maximum slaughter percentages of 75 percent for cattle have been in-creased to 85 percent, and for sheep and lambs from the former 100 percent to 110 percent. Slaughter percentages for calves and hogs have not been changed, remaining at 75 percent for calves and 50 percent for logs.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

United Nations Pact in Senate;

U.S. Spending Hits Peak for Year

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

At renamed Truman park in Dusseldorf, Germany, 96th infantry di-

Hull retired.

istration of lend-lease and then

move into the state department as

its head when the ailing Cordell

With Smiling Ed's departure, for-

mer U. S. senator, supreme court

justice and war mobilizer, James F.

Byrnes, was prominently mentioned

as his successor. A southern Demo-

crat, Byrnes long was a leader in

national politics, first stepping into

the international picture when he

accompanied President Roosevelt

to Yalta. Pointing up talk of Byrnes'

succession to the secretaryship of

state was announcement that he

would attend the forthcoming Big

Giving Secretary of Agriculture

to a one year extension of OPA.

supervision, the conferees knocked

out the senate amendment calling

for the payment of cost plus a rea-

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tween the states, relieving the pres-

sure on federally-inspected slaugh-

terers whose civilian supply has

been sharply cut after army set-

Reports Japs Seek Peace

Backed to the wall, with U. S. superforts pounding their cities to rubble and American armed forces drawing a noose around the home.

land, the Japanese have advanced

peace terms to this country, Senator Capehart (Rep., Ind.) said. Although

declaring he was not at liberty to re-veal details, Capehart, indicated that

the enemy was willing to surrender all conquered territory, including Manchuria. Little could be gained over the proffered terms from un-conditional surrender, involving at

least a two-year war in China, the

senator opined.

Sets Record

billion dollars.

U. S. SPENDING:

riod in the nation's history.

Though revenues rose to almost

451/2 billion dollars for the year,

expenditures rocketed to almost

Standing at about 90 billion dol-

lars, war spending constituted the

greatest portion of outlays. While

expenditures for military produc-

tion, supplies and services were up,

contracts for construction, subsidies

and other obligations of government

corporations dropped off to less

than one-half billion dollars.

wages and reconversion layoffs.

Waterfowl Drop

According to estimates of Dr.

Ira N. Gabrielson, chief of the

U. S. Fish and Wildlife service.

the waterfowl population of the

U. S. stands at 105 million. This

is approximately 20 million less

The apparent decrease may

not be exact, Dr. Gabrielson

points out, as the population

may have been overestimated in

than the 1944 figure.

for goods.

Three conference in Berlin.

Extended for Year

vision holds G.I. horse races. For want of thoroughbreds, Yanks ride

shaggy nags to wire for takeoff.

With indications of overwhelming

Sen. Connally Francisco, where

50 United Nations mapped the histor-

ic pact, Sen. Tom Connally (Dem.,

Texas) bid for early ratification, de-

claring that although no effort

would be made to railroad the thing

through, "I don't want to see the

senate dilly-dally, shilly-shally and

honey-swuggle all through July and

August just because some mem-

bers want to make speeches for con-

A member of the American dele-

gation at the San Francisco parley

along with Connally, Sen. Arthur Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) also was

prepared to throw his full strength

behind the move for acceptance.

Known for his efforts to reconcile

U. S. sovereignty with international

co-operation, Vandenberg said that

although the security organization

was not perfect, it represented a

step toward effective world collabo-

With no major battle looming, dis-

cussion of the power of the U. S.

representative on the security coun-

cil to vote for use of armed force

without prior congressional approv-

Under the present provisions of

of the Big Five - the U. S., Brit-

ration to outlaw future war.

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ganization, with

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al may be academic, with proponents suggesting later legislation enabling congress to instruct the representative on the course to be pursued in such cases. the security organization, however, there is little likelihood of armed force being employed against any of the major powers, since anyone

> ain, Russia, France and China-can veto military measures against themselves. By permitting the U. S. to retain conquered Pacific possessions for defense bases on the discretion of congress, the framers of the security organization also steered clear of vigorous objections which might have been raised against the trusteeship phases of the new char-

Big Job for Ed As congress prepared to ponder

ratification, former Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, who played such an important role in shaping the new organization, was assigned the equally important job of representing the U. S. on the all-powerful security coun-

As the U. S. representative, Smil-ing Ed will have the power to cast America's vote in the settlement of disputes, the application of economic pressure against potential aggressors to bring them

ever reservation congress may make. Big Business's Personality Boy, Stettinius has risen high in U. S. politics since leaving the U. S. Steel corporation to first take over admin-

in line, or the use of force. His

power only will be limited by what-

MEDICAL BILL With the nation's medical bill in 1944 totaling 4 billion dollars and a capital investment in hospital plant and equipment of six billions, medieine today is one of the big businesses of America. The direct consumers of medical care paid 3 billions of last year's bill, expenditures by federal, state and local governments were 800 millions, and the balance was contributed by industry and philanthropy a survey re-

SAVINGS: Bid for Early Ratification of

Nest-Egg Grows

Despite heavy payments due on income tax installments for the final quarter of 1944 and an increase in inventories of unincorporated businesses, individuals' savings fo the first three months of this yea totaled almost \$8,500,000,000.

During the period, individuals' deposited almost \$5,000,-000,000 in banks; bought almost \$1,500,000,000 of government bones, and paid up \$1,000,000,-000 in national service life insurance and \$900,000,000 in private premiums.

At the same time, individuals strengthened their position for the postwar period by reducing consumer debt \$200,000,000 exclusive of mortgage obligations.

POLAND:

New Government

With the formation of a new government designed to be representative of the whole country, the troublesome Polish question appeared resolved, thus removing a bone of contention between the Al-

Including political leaders who had fled abroad as well as those who had remained behind or found sanctuary with the Russians, the new regime is based on the Moscow sponsored Warsaw provisional government to assure the Reds of a friendly buffer to west-

ern Europe. Though U. S. and British recognition of the new regime loomed, the Polish government in exile in London assailed it as a "self-appointed political body composed of communists and foreign agents." As long as the Red army and police occupy Poland no freedom can exist, the exiles said.

PACIFIC:

"Twenty-second day, sixth month, twentieth year of Showa era. I de-part without regret, fear, shame or obligation. Army chief of staff, Cho Isamu. Age of departure, 51

Inscribed on a white silk matress cover found in his grave at the base of a cliff in Okinawa, Clinton Anderson veto power over the above phrasing constituted Lt .food pricing orders, including proc-Gen. Isamu Cho's own epithet writessed farm products and livestock ten before he committed hara-kiri in house and senate conferees agreed typical Japanese warrior style before the island's fall. In granting Anderson pricing

American troops were within 80 yards of enemy headquarters on a seaside cliff when Cho and Commanding Gen. Mitsuru Ushijima sonable profit for farm products. knelt down on a narrow ledge over-Though backed by the agricultural knives into their naked abdomens posed because of its displacement while aides stood by to slash their of the parity system, designed to spinal columns to assure death. create a balance between what pro-

With the two Jap chieftains, over 100,000 enemy troops also met their death on Okinawa in the savage

power over food prices, house and senate conferees sought to improve FOOD: the tight meat situation by permit-

Fat, Oil Pinch

In revealing another boost in the point value of margarine, the interagency committee on foreign shipments warned American housewives that fats and oils will remain in tight supply until the spring or early summer of 1946 because they are among the top requirements of hungry Europe.

The committee's announcement was made as OPA revealed that civilian meat supplies would be fall below June.

Over 90,000,000 pounds of beef will be available weekly for civilians compared with 73,530,000 be the ones most likely to offer colpounds last month; 85,100,000 pounds of pork as against 91,240,000; 24,180,000 pounds of veal as against 23,040,000; 10,030,000 pounds of lamb as against 9,950,000, and 2,790,000 pounds of mutton as against 2,190,-.sbnuog 000

Ending June 30, fiscal year 1945 found the U.S. collecting more,

STRIKES: spending more and running into debt Plague Officials more than in any other similar pe-

With the victory in Europe removing previous restraint, the wave of strikes sweeping the country has taxed the resources of the U. S. conciliation service and War Labor 100 billion, leaving a deficit of 54 board, and created anxiety among billion. As a result the nationgovernment officials concerning proal debt soared to more than 255 duction for the Pacific war.

As the officials looked to President Truman and Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach to correct the situation, latest reports put the total of idle at 86,000. Though the number of requests for strike votes had been rising since March. actual walkouts were checked until V-E Day.

As fiscal 1946 got underway, less Wages have not been as important expenditure and less income apa factor in the strikes as union rivalpeared to be in order. Military exry and struggle for leadership in the penditures have been cut to reflect unions themselves, officials said. the decreased cost of a one-front Another source of unrest has been war and revenues are expected to unsettled grievances in war plants, drop because of less overtime with workers striking to force action.

TRANSPORT RISE

Total volume of freight and passenger transportation of all types of carriers has shown a sleady expansion during the war period, rising in 1944 to the highest level on record. Airplane transportation showed

the greatest increase during this period, rising 421.4 per cent. While railroad trame increased 171.4 per cent; pipelines, 137.7 per cent; mo-tor trucks, 123.5 per cent. The gains made by these carriers more than offset a curtailment of 29.9 per cent in water transport

Washington Digest

Nazi Influence Remains To Vex Allied Control

Indoctrination of Youth and Lethargy of Mass of People Obstacle to Efforts to Reconstitute Beaten Nation.

By BAUKHAGE

WNU Service, Union Trust Building, | Washington, D. C.

(This is the first of two articles by Mr. Bankhage revealing how the results of Himmler's "planned terror" are making it hard for Americans to "run" Germany.)

The hearings of the Kilgore subcommittee on war mobilization concluded in the last weeks of congress and are to be resumed next September. Testimony before the committee has revealed certain "secret documents" showing plans on the part of various German industrialists to subsidize a Nazi underground party.

The purpose of the hearings, Senator Kilgore's associates tell me, is o prepare the United States against a future recrudescence of German militarism.

If such underground organizations exist and continue to exist it will be necessary to hunt them out of their hiding places if we can. This is going to be especially difficult since some of those hiding places undoubtedly will be on foreign territory and it may not be easy to reach across the frontiers of nations not too unfriendly to the Nazi - Fascist

Meanwhile there is an immediate problem to be faced and that is the practical task of "running Germany," something which it is generally admitted is going to be harder than we thought.

There are many baffling factors of a purely physical aspect which enter into the scheme but I do not ntend to deal with them here. I want to talk about the psychological roblem which is recognized by ained observers on the scene but erhaps not as fully understood as i. might be. It may be recalled that some

months ago there appeared in these columns an exposition of the organiooking the Pacific and plunged zation and the indoctrination of the of all elements in Germany into a single unit, created for the purpose of waging total war. This dealt with the positive steps taken in the training of the youth and conversion or compuls on exerted over such of the older generation as were sufficiently pliable. In this and a succeeding article I propose to deal with what might be called a program of negation since its purpose was to destroy the quality of resistance to Naziism on the part of those too old or too stubborn to accept, actively or passively, the Nazi regime. It is what I have alluded to as the program of "planned terror."

Nazification Extended To All Classes

First, it must be remembered that since the Nazis were in full power 5 per cent greater this month than | for about 12 years and the real inlast, with the largest increase in doctrination of the Germany youth beef. Reflecting smaller hog began at about the age of 12, there numbers on farms, pork stocks will might be presumed to remain a group of middle-aged Germans who escaped the full blight of Nazi indoctrination. Normally they would laboration with the American or other officials and most amenable

methods and beliefs. Of course, there are some such. On the other hand, although this group who by age or inclination were less favorable to Nazification, the majority have not escaped the effects of Nazi rule. These men were brought up in a more or less normal 20th century atmosphere, regimented to some extent, it is true and with the long tradition of German militarism behind them, but at root a kindly, businesslike, churchgoing folk whose evils were environmental and not necessarily hereditary as they proved when they left home and set-

tled on our shores. They are the ones in Germany whom we blame for failing to arise and overthrow the Hitler regime, for accepting it and its inhumanities. We find them now, according to most of the persons who have visited Germany, befuddled, submissive, yet resentful, but honestly rejecting all personal, individual responsibility for war guilt of Germany and the atrocitics of the Nazis. For the most part they have proved about as valuable in assisting in the governing of their country as a pocket and the sovereign power or large piece of slightly rancid dough. the United States behind him.

News Analyst and Commentator.

To meet this and other conditions existing in the Allied zone of occu- any man in your community, and pation, the psychological warfare didn't demand that it be cooked in division of supreme headquarters butter. We award you the best dehas a special program worked out. gree in the house, that of PGS (Pa-(And don't be frightened at the \$64 title of that organization—a lot of glad to throw in a box of cigars. our boys are alive today because of

its assault on the enemy as you will

Aim to Reorient German Mind

learn some day.)

A part of the aim of the Amerider, and its long-range objective is

described as "reorienting the German mind, after 12 years of Naziism.' General McClure, head of the psychological warfare division, explains the immediate objectives of the information bureau of his divi-

sion as "(1) to maintain and deepen the mood of passive acquiescence and acceptance of orders to the German people, and so to facilitate the completion of the occupation of Germany; (2) to undertake special campaigns required by military government, and (3) to take the first steps toward arousing a sense of collective responsibility for Germany's crimes and to provide the facts which expose the fatal consequences of Nazi and militarist leadership and German acquiescence in

all that is humanly possible - or I should say, inhumanly possible—to of chaos, they hope to gain an in

underground. which the American occupation is Germans in the American zone, so far less than 4,000 have been jailed for acts inimical to the American military regime, but hundreds and hundreds have been fired from the civil administration because they cannot produce a clean anti-Hitler-record or they have definite connections with the Nazi party or its activities.

What many people fail to realize in previous columns that the Gernations occupied by the German armies and that the preparation for this domestic campaign was long and thorough.

Recently we have had a chance to learn more about what a concentration camp really was. I refer not only to the grisly horrors revealed by the dead and the living-dead to an acceptance of democratic found in the captured camps. What is far more deeply revealing is the them we learn the powerful psychological influences of the treatment of prisoners by the gestapo.

This psychological effect reached those outside, too. Further, by repeating publicly the camp bru-talities in a milder form and like-wise by moons of the temperature. strictions on the whole people, all and Europe. Germany was turned into one great concentration camp. This was deliberately planned.

ences in Nazi Germany I can the same one he used against the From my own personal experitestify that this last statement is not an exaggeration. I have felt the 'terror' atmosphere which the gestapo created even for a foreigner, molested departure from the ac across the middle just when the batcursed country. Leaving Germany in wartime, herded into the station under the piercing eyes of the SS troopers, with the invisible presence of the gestapo all about one, had a paralyzing effect on a person ever though he had a passport in his

BARBS ... by Baukhage

Don't psychoanalyze the returned G.I., says General Eisenhower, pat him on the back. And, he might have added, keep your hand out of his pocket while you're doing it.

Surplus war property is estimated the man-made property in this counthe smallest pin to Boulder Dam.

The German wine crop is 50 per cent better than average this year But the lees are bitter.

It's a paradox that for all of at army's destructiveness, 600,000 mer now in the armed forces, according as equal in value to one-third of all | to Senator Murray, chairman of the small business committee, have hat try less than 10 years ago, from training or experience in construc



HONORARY DEGREES FOR 1945

Wenkel, Thaddeus Z. - Citizen extraordinary: During the entire period of the war you at no time sought, through patronage of underground restaurants, to secure choice oversized steaks on meatless days. You never tried to outwit your neighbor at the butcher market. Furthermore you ate more fish than triot and Good Sport). And we are

Powsley, Wilmer K. - Outstanding American: You are one of the few men in the country who has never blasted WPB. You consistently gave it as your opinion, "I think it has one of the toughest jobs in the can program is to help maintain or- land. I'd hate to have to solve its problems." Help yourself to any degree you like and will you stay for a

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Whelk, Amos R. - Wottaman! Asked to serve as a judge on one of those radio programs airing the General McClure realizes that misfortunes of simple people on the step number three is a long one and radio you indignantly refused, stata high one. At present the Ameri- ing vehemently that you thought the can occupation officials are in a use of the air waves to make specsomewhat paradoxical position. tacles of people in distress and be-They are expected to maintain fuddlement (even when they seemed strict military discipline and in the to like the hookup) was cheap, same breath in which they order, tawdry and inexcusable. Have one-"Stand at attention," they have to of our best degrees and help yoursay, "Now think for yourself!" And self to anything else within our confurthermore the Nazis have done trol. You are a man among men.

Jones, Felix M. - Among the citishould say, inhumanly possible—we see that there is nothing left of initiative or individual responsibility in a standout. A clerk in a business Germany. Having created this state serving the general public, you serving the general public, you have, despite the war, behaved as terim in which to strengthen their if customers were welcome. You have retained your prewar smile. It is not organized resistance tried earnestly to retain goodwill and on only one occasion did you: meeting. Out of 10,000,000 or more treat a patron as if he were a bum. (On that occasion he was, in fact, a bum.) It is our pleasure to giveyou a degree in four colors, and how are you fixed for cash?

Popps, Zeke Z. - A business many who knew very well that your frequent trips to the big city were not: vital, you cut them out in order tomake the problem of transportain this connection is how thorough tion and hotel rooms for servicement the Nazification of Germany has less complicated. Furthermore you. been, I had occasion to point out did it without boasting. And, getting the same results by phone, you reman people were the Nazis' first frained from bawling out the tolk conquest, that it took longer than line operator in case of slight dethe military conquest of any of the lays. You get the large sized sheepskin and two mint juleps.

ELMER RECALLS IKE'S BASEBALL DAYS

("I played pro baseball in the Kansas State league once under the name of Wilson. Never mind what. position; that's one of my secrets." -General Eisenhower.)

"I remember the general well inmates who were released earlier that Kansas league," declared Elwith their brains still intact, From mer Twitchell, eminent baseball fantoday. "He played any and all positions, and, brother, could he sock! "He had everything, including a

wise by means of the tyrannical re- knew he would go as far as Africa. "Among other things, Ike was a smart pitcher. He had a fast one-

that's never been equalled. It was Schicklegruber Giants the last three seasons. His slow ball would break right

ter had decided to let it go past.

How he fooled the Kraut batters this last summer with that one. "Ike could play shortstop, too. He was fast and he would go after everything. He was a deadly pegger, too. Look at how he threw out Bonehead' Hitler in the last game of the series with the bases full,"

Can You Remember: Away back when people didn't think the vice presidency tous very important? And back when any men anywhere, before voting a strike or slowdown, would first make sure that they would have the public with them?

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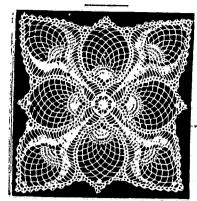
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THE STORY THUS FAR: Melody | no more, But I got to get some | because-Jones and George Fury had ridden into Payneville. Melody was mistaken for he outlaw, Monte Jarrad. Monte's girl, Cherry, in trying to save Monte and later Melody, got them involved in the murde of Luke Packer, the insurance cop. Melody found Monte at the farm, where Cherry soon returned with the wounded Fury. Monte's men rode up, hard pressed by the posse, and ran into the house, while Melody, Cherry and Fury were in the barn when the battle started. Melody walked out of the barn, called Monte and started to shoot it out with him. Monte fell dead. The battle was over and Melody was taken into town but soon re-leased. He returned to Fury and Cherry.

CHAPTER XIX

"I had hopes for you, for a while," George said. "You looked pretty good around here, once, for a couple of minutes. When first you let yourself get sucked in here, on the theory you could collect the rewardgit holt of the toughest killer since Billy the Kid-whup his whole gang, prob'ly - take him single-handed. seemingly-I knowed you was crazy. But I admit there was a minute here when you near had me fooled. I come mighty near thinkin' you knowed what you was up to, there,

Melody was interested. "When was this?''

"When you walked out and fit it out with him-and shot him down!" "Who? Me?"

"How you ever done it-that part they's no answer to," George said. "It'll mystify me in my grave."
"Only I never," Melody said som-

"Never what?" "I never shot him, George,"

"I see," George said, with bitter irony. "You never killed him. He fainted, and struck his head. The bullet you put through him never

had nothing to do with it!"

Metody looked at George very queerly, "I kind of thought to ask you a question, George. But this answers it, I guess. Maybe I already knew the answer. Only, I did kind of hope- You sure you didn't shoot him, George? Because you crawled to the door, you know. You crawled to the door, and you--"

"Crawled to the door," George mimicked him angrily. "I don't crawl for nobody, you hear? I stood up and walked like a human bean! Only I tripped. It knocked the wind out of me, or somethin', and I dropped her. Don't you even know when you shoot a feller?"

"I-I don't feel good," Melody said. "Of course, I really knowed; but—I guess I still kind of hoped—"

Melody looked at him with pity. "The shot come from behind me. I even heard the lead. I reckon the next silliness, I'm supposed to think she went off when you dropped her, and hit dead center by accident. Fine carbine, you had, with its own eyes and everything. I never hear sech—" He stopped. "Now whut's the matter?"

A new queer light had come into George's face. "Avery!" he said. "Whut?"

"It comes back to me now. As I fell down, somebody taken and grabbed the carbine up. Avery must of—" He checked abruptly. and looked even stranger. "Avery was knocked out," he said weakly,

watching Melody. They looked at each other quite a while. Melody's face had reached a low of depression such as George had never seen in it before. It made him look older; almost, George

thought, as if he had sense.
"Don't look like that," George said at last. "You otter be glad. You ofter be proud of her. If it was me, I'd take it for the best good news I ever see come to you yet. The only good news," he corrected. "I throw in," Melody said.

"You cain't blame her. She knowed him long before she ever knowed me.

"What?"

It took a long time for that to soak in upon George, so that he realized what Melody meant. Even after all his long miles with Melody, he tound it hard to believe this final

"I ofter git up and whup yew." George's voice was low, but it shook. "I give yew up. Git out of my sight! I don't want to ever see yew no more. Melody, I mean it." "All right, George."

Melody got together such of his few things as were still rattling around the ranch house. He could not find at all some of the things he thought he remembered having had. such as one-half pair of spurs, and his horsehair tie rope. He finally found his other saddle blanket, though, rolled up under George Fury's head. "Please, George, kin I have that?" When George smoked and ignored him he lifted George's head by the hair, and took the blanket anyway, while George refused to notice.

Cherry was brushing her hair, just as he had seen her do the night she had found him asleep in her bed. She glanced over her shoulder at him, and said, "Hi." And there was a considerable silence while Melody stood awkwardly in the door and nothing happened.

"I don't see why you need him. right away," she said at last. "I got to get a job. Most likely I got to travel some to get it-don't

money to send back to George. He'll need it, until he can work.' "He might never, you know."

"Well, then, he'll need the money all the worse,' "You know," Cherry said, not

looking at him, "the country around here would be a wonderful place to start a little cattle stand. It's thin, but there's plenty of it. The Cottons only want the valley bottom. And it isn't the country's fault that Fever Crick wastes all his time running wild horses." "I-I often thought of that."

"In a few years," Cherry said gravely, "a couple of people could have about anything, if they weren't afraid of work."

"Sure." She was silent, and waited for what he would say. From the lean-to at the other side

of the house came George Fury's

faint yell: "Cherry, if yew missed him with ut, hit him agin!" "Heck," Melody said. He sat looking at the broken lamp, and the ribbon in his hand, and turning turkey

Cherry seemed to notice the ribbon more than the lamp. "You can have that, if you want it," she said. 'You don't need to steal things from

ne. Couldn't you ask?" Wordless, Melody wadded up the ribbon and crammed it into his pocket. Then, becoming aware of what he was doing, he hastily pulled it out again, snapped it straight, and dropped it on the bed.

"I swear," he said honestly, "I He stood up. "I'll send you another lamp," he said, "out of my first pay.'

"You're really on your way," she said, as if she didn't believe it. "Whut?" She subsided, looking more dis-

couraged than he had ever seen her, 'Let it go . . . I suppose you'll let George know where he can find you? "We ain't speakin'."

"But you said-"

"I'll support him while he needs it. I'll do jest that one thing more. But beyond that we're done. George wants it that way, Cherry. I reckon so do I."

She looked at him a long time then, disconcertingly, while he stood turning his hat round and round in his hands. He didn't know exactly how to get out of there, now that he had no more to say.

"I think," Cherry said surprisingly, "you're the hardest man I've would of give me some sign," he grooming Jacqueline White for big "Who? Me?

"You're hard like a rock drill, or a bronc. You're so hard you don't even know you're hard." "Oh, well, shucks, now-"

"How on earth did you manage to break with George?" Melody shifted uncomfortably, deeply embarrassed. He would have said he didn't know, except that

George would be staying on there. "Well," Melody said, "he-he-I guess I got to tell you something, Cherry . . . George remembers, He remembers who - who picked that carbine up, and shot it,

when-when I was fighting Monte." Cherry winced as if a quirt had sung in her face, but steadled instantly. She considered for a long

moment, with her eyes averted. "I did," she said at last. "Yup, sure," Melody said. know that, now."

Cherry talked swiftly, in a panic, "Can't he see—can't anybody see—I had to try to—I couldn't help—" "Cherry," he said slowly, "you George." But you just said you quarreled

He met her almost frantically glassy stare with steady eyes. 'George is a sentimental old guy. He don't see things very clear, any Every trace of expression in Cher-

ry's face was crossed off, "It's—it's you who hates me for that?"

"Nobody hates you, Cherry." She dropped her chin, and turned her face away from him.

"I want you to know something," Melody said. "If a feller gets a bullet pasted at him, it's liable to be his own damn fault. Even if it comes from the last place he would rightfully expect it to come from." She only looked at him.
"Don't feel like that," Melody

said. "It ain't fair or right for a man to expect too much of people. If a feller gets to thinking there's some one person he can trust, that's a chance he's taking. And if later she feels called on to take a shot at him, he cain't blame nobody but hisself if he's surprised."

This was so far from anything Cherry had looked forward to, or planned, that at first she could not speak. Her eyelids winked fast as she stared hard at the hairbrush.

He turned away; and she didn't stop him as he wandered to the guest performances, and have her door. But he hesitated, feeling unhappy, and incomplete.
"George is funny," he said,

"Facts hurt George. He cain't bring hisself to stand for 'em. There ain't a man in the world wouldn't give the last drop of his blood for a gal that done for him whut you tried to do for Monte. But maybe you'd better let George think whut he wants. He's daid set that you was shootin' at Monte."

He paused. Then, as she stared at him, he said, diffidently, "some kill me." Cherry dropped the hairbrush, but

there now, at his own slow pace. "Someday," he said to himself.

'you'll be an old man, past use for ly shot at Monte. Then you'll set and Day," based on the life and muthere plucking cactus spines. You'll ic of Cole Porter; she's seen as set there a long time . . ."
He stood halfway up, hitching his

chap belt, but sat down again. "She suggested to himself uncertainly. for his soogans.

stopped in his tracks, shocked out of Peck. motion by the impression that Harry Henshaw, ignorer of whistles, had turned and whistled at him. Then, as he stared at the dozing pony, Cherry spoke behind him.
"No wonder he doesn't come," she

said.

He jumped, and spun around.
"Whut? Oh. It's you,"
"Yes," Cherry said. "That whistle can't be any good. You don't

even answer to it yourself." "Who? Me?" Melody was utterly befuddled, now. "Cherry, I swear, it seems like he otter come. I thunk a fur piece, figuring up that whistle. That there is the most come-hither whistle a man can think up, I do believe."

"Is it?" Cherry looked him square in the eye, and whistled at him. The doggonedest thing of all happened then. Harry Henshaw came ain't got any better friend than up and stood nearby, looking selfconscious.

(THE END)



her credit that she wasn't discovered by her uncle, the star-maker, Gus Edwards, but got to the top by herself. But the gay young star of "The Hit Parade" did want attack by moths. her uncle to be present at one of her broadcasts, so she arranged to go to the Coast for some



JOAN EDWARDS

uncle, who has been ill for so long, brought to one of them. Joan as the mother of lovely young Judy Ann, aged 1½, is a different person from the talented singer and planist the public knows; she'd like to spend a lot more time with that young lady if she could. But she's tied to "The Hit Parade" for years to come.

It's nothing new for Director Mitchell Leisen to lend his own belongings as props for pictures. He did it for the eighth time for 'Masway it makes him mad to have me querade in Mexico," when Dorothy realize that you was only trying to Lamour had to be shown with a lot or smart luggage. The property department couldn't supply matched it landed on its bristles, without bags, wardrobe cases and a steamer sound; and Melody did not see it, trunk—so you'll see Dorothy surbecause he was getting out of rounded by Mr. Leisen's very expensive traveling kit.

Alexis Smith wound up her role nothin'. And suppose then word in "The Two Mrs. Carrolls" at Warcomes in, some way, so's we know ner Bros. on a Saturday afternoon, then that George was right. Sup- and immediately walked across the pose we find out, some way, she real- studio lot to begin work in "Night Mrs. Porter.

"She would of said something. She of college, and has had just one picthings; she was signed un right or would of told me." He reached down ture role, in "Song of Russia." She But he never picked them up. He ling," playing opposite Gregory gets her first big role in "The Year-

> "Queen for a Day," the Cinderella show aired daily over Mutual, will become a picture; Ed Golden's bought the film rights, and it will be released through United Artists. In case you haven't heard the show, it's the one on which a queen for a day is chosen from the studio audience, and then is given her every wish. In the picture the Queen will probably drop in on various movie

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Weary apartment seekers in Hollywood rejoiced when a sign "Apart-ment for Rent," was hung outside one of the buildings of the Monogram studio that faces the street. Gale Storm was to do a scene for "The Gay Nineties," inspecting the sign—but before camera crews could get there the street was so crowded that it took half an hour for an assistant director to convince them that it was just for a picture.

ODDS AND ENDS-Jane Withers ODDS AND ENDS—Jane Withers will probably have her own air show in the fall, a show for young people. . . . Alice Faye may abandon movies completely, and do an air show with her husband, Phil Harris. . . . HI Brown, producer-director of "Inner Sanctum," has directed over 15,000 broadcasts, and during one your had 35 of his own has directed over 15,000 broadcasts, and during one year had 35 of his own shows on the air. . . . The Ray Bulger show, replacing the Jimmy Durante-Garry Moore one, has a staggering line-up of stars signed for the summer and early fall. . . . Judy Canova's husband left for overseas when their baby was two weeks old—but the proud parents drank a toast to the baby.

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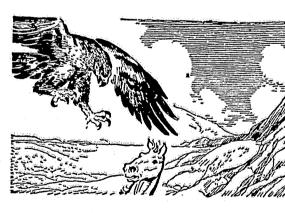
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If you agree, you subscribe to the

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Nothing Original

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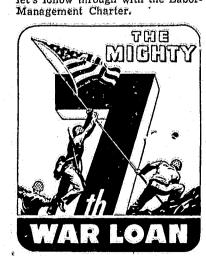
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prespecity like we enjoy, but America is in actual danger of being carried with the political tide. The Labor-Management Charter points the right way: toward freedom of faith, security of ownership, and liberty in self-government. Like any guide-post it is powerless in liself, useful only it it is followed. If followed, however, it indicates an orderly transition from war to vic-

> to economic war, government by edict, lower wages, and less of the things people want. The system of open competition in enterprise made America the world's most influential nation and kept it in the forefront of human progress for 170 years. A recent survey shows that conservative business men are ready, if they have a

is ignored, our alternate course leads





'SURELY THE GOVERNMENT COULDN'T MEAN US WHEN IT TALKS ABOUT NOT TRAVELING, BECAUSE WE HAVEN'T SEEN BOB'S CHILDREN SINCE LAST FALL

liam Green for the American Fedenation of Labor, Eric Johnson for BRYANT POND United States Chamber of Com-

Mrs Inez Whitman, Correspondent Miss Alice Chute is gaining slowly from her recont illness but is still cordined to her bed much of the time.

Mis Inez Whitman and daughter, Chira, returned to their Irome Sat-urday after spending the week with Mrs Mary Taylor and family

Mr and Mrs Ralph M Bacon, Poston, Mass are spending a two week vacation at "The Little Caink." They will have as a guest time-tested principles. All of them of Jesus and of many great men who have lived and enriched the world more recently. They appear Mr Bacon's uncle, Walter Bacon of Norway.

in the Labor-Management Charter. 30 major (* 8 oil fields, each wich reserves in excess of 100,000,000 in account for 0.350,000,000 bbl, or 45 per cent of the national total. Besides declaring the rights of labor, the fairness of competition and the dividends of economy, the Labor-Management Charter contains of home than 20,000,000 bid,

VOICE PROPHECY

Question-Does it make any dif-Icrence what I do as long as I have faith in my heart?

It is graver than ever now, with a Answer-Read all of the second chapter of James. Verse 17 says, must point the way and she stands Even so faith, if it hath not works, at the crossroads. America's choice will determine which way the whole is dead, being alone." Q.-Did Christ die for one par-

ticular nation or race of men? A .- "But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels for the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honour; that He by the grace of God should taste death for every man." Hebrews 2:9. Q.-Why did Cain kill Abel?

A.—The answer is in LJohn 3:12: "Not as Cain, who was of that wicked one, and slew his brother. And wherefore slew he him? Because his own works were evil, and his

Q.—How can I prove that the angels are the spirits of the dead?

A.—Angels existed before anyone ever died, therefore they cannot be the spirits of the dead. (Genesis 8:24) God placed cherubims (angels) at the gate of the garden

tory in peace and prosperity. If it of Eden. See also Job 38:4.F. Q.-How can I get more faith? A,-By reading God's Word. Nomans 10:17: "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God," Also by asking God for it. Luke 17:5: "And the apostles said unto the Lord, Increase our faith."

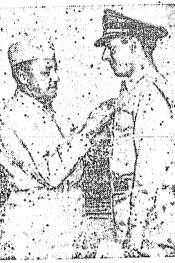
Q.-Who was the first sinner? A.—"He that committeth sin if of the devil; for the devil sinneth cnance, to offer more than one job per available worker after the war. For full employment, good pay, ready markets and active business, let's follow through with the Labor-Read also Ezekiel 28:15.

Q.-Why did God-abhor the nations which occupied the land of

Canaan before Israel? A .- In Leviticus 20:23, we read: And ye shall not walk in the manners of the nation, which I cast out before you: for they committed all these things, and therefore I ab-horred them." "These things" here referred to, have just been mentioned in preceding passages and include dishonoring parents (verse 9); adultery (verse 10); profaning God's name (Leviticus 19:21); stealing (verse 11); breaking the Sabbath (verse 30), etc.

Ed. Note: Address your questions to the BIBLE QUESTION COLUMN, The Voice of Prophecy, Box 55, Los An-gcles 53, Calif. Bible questions of gen-eral interest will be answered in this column as space permits.

Wins Navy Cross



Navy Photo E sundphoto—U. S. S. Barb, sub-marine, wrecked a Jap convoy at arch r in one of the most daring | Sunday attacks of the war. Photo shows Vice Admiral Charles A. Lockwood pinning the Navy cross on Commander Eugene B. Pluckey, W. Lieston, D. C., aleard the U. S. sell U. S. S. Barb.

More than half of the 55 - gal oil drums used by the Quatermaster Corps in shipping pertoleum pro-ducts overseas and to posts, camps, and stations in this country during 1944 were reclaimed drums which had alraedy been used one or more times for a similar purpose. This saved more than 4,000,000 drums, a cash saving of \$10,000,000 many tons of steel and millions of mennours of labor.

Proved crude oil reserves of the U S are estimated at in excess of 29 million barrels; proved natural-gus reserves amount to about 114 tillion enbic feet.

What it took almost 70 years to accomplish with natural rubber, American scientists, engineers and production men have achieved in 5 years with synthetic rubber; \$5 percent of the overall volume of rubber this country is now using

QUOTES-

"Veterans of this war are going to run the country."-Pres. Truman to wounded GIs in Portland, Ore.

"We had seven more bands than Kansas City!"—Proud boast of Abilene, Kan., Gen. Ike's home town, in re. its Eisenhower Day.

"The best defense of the American system of business is an understanding of it." - Stanley High, editor.

"Each individual worker must be free to produce as much per working hour as his ingenuity, energy and skill make possible." - DeWitt Emery, Pres. Nat'l. Small Businessmen's Assn.

"Love is blind. You can't change human nature." - U. S. Sen. Capehart, Ind., back from Europe, on non-fraternization

"Non-fraternization is the bunk!"-Pvt. Walter Dervin, \$1, Goshen, Ind., just back, in re.

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

More and more of the prodigals down there in Congress are in need of a tap on the shoulder. The latest outburst is where 2 of the boys are cookin' up a "guaranteed adequate diet." With their new scheme, if you have a family of

But if some tired type of person chooses to work only one day a week and maybe make 40 bucks a month, then his 60 dollars in coupons would cost only 16 dollars. Sound good. But since he won't know in advance how much, if any he will sure enough work, it tooks lik he will wait until the the end of the month for his coupons and will eat nothing at all for 30 days.

And if a diet is to be adequate,

Director of the Diet Dept, will tell us what to eat. And if you happen to like carrots but don't like spin-nch and the Director does like rots, then you eat spinach, too.

For grown-up men in Congress
to cook up such a concoction shows that more people should start writing post-cards. Most all the old boys there in Potomac-land can read pretty good. Tell 'em to act

their age-or come on home. They Yours with the low down, JO SERRA

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE and Vicinity

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent About 25 attended church and Histened to a very interesting sermon by Rev Leonard Gray. Rev Hilda Ives will be with us next Sunday morning, July 15.

And B Wright spent the week and at his home in Keene, N. H. Ha lan Bumpus bought a calf from Sarah Andrews recently.

Mr and Mrs Albrt Keniston and daughter Phyllis, Mrs Lloyd Keniston and son Skipper, and Asa Keniston were Sunday dinner quests at L J Andrews.

Ledney McAllister was home over the week end,
Harry Bumpus and daughter,
Cora, Mr and Mrs Richard Merri,
am and daughters, Margaret and
Marilyn, from Auburn, and Mrs
Vialo Kimball speat Sunday afternoon at Harlan Bumpus'.

Mr and Mrs Ray Andrews visit-

Mr and Mrs Ray Andrews visited at Mr and Mrs Sidney Rogers Saturday evening.
Miss Catherine Powers called at Annie Bumpus' Friday. Mr and Mrs Albert McAllister called at Fred Hersey's Saturday

evening.
Edwin Bumpus spent the week end with the Stevens families at Bailey's Island.

A A Bruce spent soveral days in Portland with his sister last week. Martin Lydon has returned to Fred Littlefield's after spending several weeks in Portland.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs Jennie Hutchinson has been visiting her son, Curtis, and family in Portland for a few days.

Miss Carolyn Abilott of South

and M. A. Herman Bon-s P. H. Rolfe returned after spending the past week: oleto., Jame.
Misses Joyce and Marilyn Abbott re : A to Brunswick and bott re : A to Brunswick and Augusta anday after enjoying a week's variation at home.

Ivan Garcy and Alfred Parke-bave purchased the place formerly owned by Mrs Kenneth Lovejoy and will soon move there.

NOTICE The subscriber hereby gives no-tice that he has been duly appoint-ed Admr. of the estate of Cornella A. Wheeler late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and giving bonds as the law directs.
All persons having demands against the estate of said decease. are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ROCER W. WHEELER Bethel, Maine.

May 15th 1945.

NOTICE The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed guardian of Nelle M. Bunbank of Bethel in the County of Oxford, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having de-mands against the estate of said ward are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make

payment immediately.

BESSIS M. SOULE
Portland, Maine.

June 19th 1945.

STATE OF MAINE To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Pants, in and for the County of Oxford on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-five from day to day from the third Tuesday of said June. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Parls, on the third Tuesday of July A. D. 1945, at 10 of the clock in the forencon, and be heard thereon if

they see cause.

Mabel Harden Chase of Greenwood, adult ward; First account presented for allowance by Isauc presented for allowance by Isaac
W. Dyer 2nd., guardian.
Marian True Gehring, late of
Bethel, deceased; First trust account for the benefit of Lilian True
Bryant, et als., presented for allowance by First Portland National
Bank, Trustee.
Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge

of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hun-Gred and forty-five. BARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register 28

HANOVER

Mr and Mrs C F Saunders, Pvt Wallace Saunders, and wife were in town July 4 calling on friends and spending the day at Morrison's Lodge, Howard's Lake.

Ira Brown received word last week that his sister Florence, Mrs you get 60 dollars worth of food Theodore Gunn of Peterborough, coupons for 40 per cent of your N. H., has passed away.

> mon in Howard's Lake July 4. Betty Brown is librarian for July Mrs Katherine Penny and baby Alice, Mrs Marion Richardson, Jennie Bell and Timothy, and Mrs Emily Dickson attended the all-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid at Mrs Dwight Elliot's last Wednesday. Several people were watching the eclipse of the sun Monday morning.

Mrs Cliff Bean and Mrs Ed Bean vere callers at B J Russell's one afternoon last week. Mr and Mrs Thomas Breshnahan of Pelham, N. Y., are spending their vacation at the Sunflower Farm.

Mr and Mrs Paul Staples were

Jerry Forbes caught a nice sal-

O B Farwell and sons, Malcolm and Willard, and young Porter, son of Willard, were Sunday visitors at B J Russell's. supper guests Sunday at Mrs Alice Staples', it being Paul's birthday

Mrs Louise Worcester and David have been having the mumps.

Correspondent-Mrs. W. W. Worcester

of 1,678,421,000 bbl.

Neri Babineau and family returned home Monday after a trip into Canada, visiting friends and

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is true to the pest of my ledge and belief, FRED B. MERRILL, Sworn to and subscribed me this 5th day of July, in ISAAC W. DYE! (Seal)

Correct—Attes!:
WILLIAM C. BRYAN HARRY E, MASON MARVEL M. HANSO

NEW YORK — So Paula Hitler Wolf, abo Adolph Hitler, shown a Berchtesgaden by for 101st Airborne divisi living in the home of I hart, Nazi poet and foite of her brother. S brother had ordered he her name so that no know he had any rela She also said she was few months ago. **GILEAD** from the St Louis Hos N H Tuesday where I for treatment.

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NEW YORK - Soundphoto Paula Hitler Wolf, above, sister of Adolph Hitler, shown after she had been placed under house arrest near Berchtesgeden by Been placed under house arrest near Berchtesgaden by forces of the 101st Airborne division. She is living in the home of Dietrich Eckhart, Nazi poet and former favorite of her brother. She said her brother had ordered her to change her name so that nobody would know he had any relatives alive. She also said she was married a She also said she was married a few months ago.

GILEAD

Edward Holden returned home from the St Louis Hospital, Berlin, N H Tuesday where he has been

Mrs Alton Jodrey and daughters Patricia and Shirley, of Gorham, N H, and Mrs Charlotte Brown of Corinna are guests of Mr and Mrs Russell Cole.

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Mrs Mabel Heath and Miss Emeline Heath of Rumford were ra-cent guests at Evans Notch Lodge. G D Daniels, G T R Agent is enjoying a two weeks vacation. Leo Foutin of Lewiston is taking his

Tony Bergeron has resumed his duties on the G T R Section after weeks vacation in Beecher Falls,

No. /613 Reserve District No. 1 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK OF BETHEL IN THE STATE OF MAINE, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1945 PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STAT-

ASSETS
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\$21,007.65 United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, 262,000.00

Obligations of States and political sub-divisions, Other bonds, notes,

and debentures, 132,516.00 Corporate stocks (including \$1,500.00 stock Federal Reserve Bank) 1,500.00

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in cash items in process of collection, 193,096.37

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29. Total Capital Ac-

counts, 20. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts \$616,121.00
State of Maine,
County of Oxford, ss:
I, Fred B. Merrill, Cashler of
the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement

ly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my know-ledge and belief,
FRED B. MERRILL, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1945.

ISAAC W. DYER 2nd,
(Seal)

Notary Public. Correct—Attes!:
WILLIAM C. BRYANT

HARRY E, MASON MARVEL M. HANSCOM

GROVER HILL

Mr and Mrs Fred A Mundt and son James were Sunday dinner guests at Clayton Mills, West Beth-

Mr and Mrs Sidney Rogers of South Waterford were visitors of Mr and Mrs C L Whitman Sunday. Mrs Everett Bean is entertaining her sister, Miss Grace Furman, and nephew, Verne Sumner, from Vermont for the summer.

Mr and Mrs James Goodrich

and grandson, David Sawyer, from Portsmouth, N. H., were here to look after their garden a couple days last week. Mrs Sophie Conner from West Bethel visited her daughter, Mrs

Walter Brown, Sunday.
Word has been received by his parents that Malcolm Mundt has been transferred from Fort Devens to a training camp in Alabama. George Johnson and family are guests of his niece, Mrs Cleve Waterhouse, this week.

Norris, infant son of Mr and Mrs Cleve Waterhouse, has recovered from his recent illness.

SONGO POND

Miss Eleanor Kimball was in Plymouth, N. H., and Windsor, Vt., over the Fourth. Mr and Mrs Clarence Kimball and daughter, Rebecca Philbrick, of Gorham, Maine, were callers at Leslie Kimball's Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Hollis Grindle and Gloria Jean, with Elmer Saunders of Bethel, were in Rumford the Fourth to see Mr and Mrs Glenn

Leon Millett is picking his peas. He had two helpers Monday. Mrs Lena Kundan.

Norway to spend the week end with her daughter Leona, who is spending the summer at her grandfollowing eye surgery.

Darents, Mr and Mrs A B Kimball's.

Mrs George V Turgeon and daughter, Miss Edris Turgeon, of daughter, Miss Edris Turgeon, of August Were recent callers at the Mrs Lena Kimball was up from Norway to spend the week end

LOCKE MILLS

Adelaide W. Lister, Correspondent Mr and Mrs Donald H Tebbets

spent their vacation at Skyland, Vt, returning the last of the week, Mr and Mrs E L Tebbets were at Mooselookmeguntic for a few days.
Mr and Mrs R Clyde Dunham have as house guests for the pre-sent, Miss Elyvia O'Jea, the fiansent, Miss Ellyvia O'Jea, the fian-cee of their son, Corp, Leland Dun-ham, who is overseas, and her friend, Miss Lucile Castro, of the Bronx, N Y.

Mr and Mrs Merle Lurvey and son Roy, returned Sunday from their vacation spent at Flagstaff, Maine.

Mrs Elvira Larvey, airs Iola Marshall and Marlene, and Miss Bevaerly Lurvey returned from a weeks stay at their camp at Sebago Lake. Mr and Mrs Foster Birmingham of Berlin closed their camp Sunday, after a two week's vacation spent

Miss Helen Weston has arrived at Camp Evergreen for a visit. Nathan Chace, who has spent vacations for some years at the J W Ring Farm, is here now for two

George Nicholson is the guest of his sister at Camp Evergreen for the present, having been recently conorably discharged from the Armed forces.

Betty Ann and Eleanor Powell are the guests of their grandmo-ther, Mrs Fred Cole at Cole Lodge, as are also Mr and Mrs Martin Anderson and Mr and Mrs Terry of Washington, D C. Mrs Charles B Mason went to Portland Saturday to enter the Os-teopathic Hospital for observation

and treatment.

Mrs Julia Coolidge is resting comfortably at the C M 6 Hospital parents, Mr and Mrs A B Kimball's.

Hollis Grindle has started haying on Georgia Swan's place.

Mr and Mrs Leon Millett and two children have come back to the farm here to look after the gardens.

Mr and Mrs Leon Millett and Lister home.

Sile Walter B Newell was at home over the week end from Newport, R 1.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Miss Muriel Andrews is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs Leroy Titus, at South Paris. Miss Christine Truman is working for Mrs Ralph Dean, who is ill. Mr and Mrs Gerald Davis spent Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs Omar P Brown, at Freeport,

Mrs Woods of Malden, Mass., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs Lenwood Andrews, Mrs Gayden Davis was in Lewiston Wednesday to see her grand-mother, Mrs Jennie Estes, who is very ill at the C M G Hospital.

Mrs C A Judkins, Correspondent Cpl and Mrs Fred S Judkins and on Fred II are spending a week or more with his parents, Mr and Mrs C A Judkins, while he is on jurlough.

Miss Doris Coolidge and Miss Marion Urlie of Burlington, Vt,

Miss Wilma Croteau, who spent a week at home in Beihel, has returned to work at C A Judkins. Mr and Mrs W L Brown and daughter, Miss Leita, spent the week end in Portland with Mr and Mrs Cleo Brown.

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spent two days list week with Mis Annie Couldge and Marlene Murphy of tertained his father, E. C. Hink-Maynard and Marlene Murphy of ty and two sisters of Rangeley Rumford spent a week with their Sunday.

Bathing Caps 69c

Ladies' and Misses'

FRUIT

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Stella, Ann and Puss

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TOKYO KNEW ABOUT

that the Japs knew the story six months before most Americans knew it existed

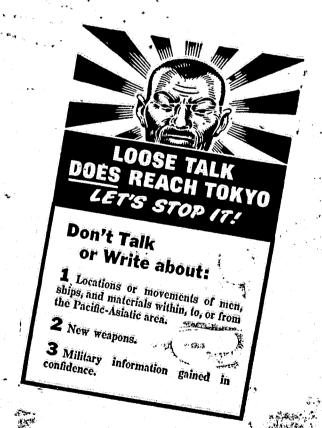
In far-away Burma, carly in 1944long before the B-29 became frontpage news at home-long before our own forces in China and in India were notified to expect this great superbomber - came news of its existence uncomfortably accurate technical description-positive facts as to proposed bases ... from the JAPS. It was all in an official bulletin of the Japanese Army found among the papers captured in a Jap stronghold in Burma.

This was not information obtained by the enemy through air reconnais-sance or the capture of prisoners or official documents in combat—it was a leak of supersecret information right out of this country, transmitted directly to the High Command in Tokyo.

What did Tokyo do with this information? What action did they take?

What did it mean to our Chinese allies and our own troops? It is significant that shortly after they obtained this information the Japs mounted a new offensive in China and set out to capture the specially constructed air fields built by hand by the Chinese people for the heavy B-29s. Months of laborious, back-breaking labor of thousands of Chinese workers were sacrificed by demolition in a heart-breaking few hours in the retreat before the onslaught of the attacking Japanese. Stores of precious gasoline-partsand other scarce hard-to-get stores flown at great risk over the famous "Hump" were put to the torch. A terrific set-back—an almost unendurable discouragement.

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Kathleen Norris Says:

Many Wives Aid the Enemy

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"Mollie," she says, "is a perfectly good girl, but she has her friends at the house all the time, who are laughing and making candy and going to afternoon

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

HINGS have just been running down at home since Ted and Larry went away to war," whined a woman to me in the market the other day. "You see," she went on, "Larry was making good money and he helped out a lot, and by this time I suppose Ted would have been a wage-earner, too. Now with just Betty and Dad at home, we are the most dismal group you can imagine, and the money trouble doesn't help to console us! I can't wait to have the boys get back, when we can get all straightened out, pay our debts and start over."

I looked at this woman in amazement. She loves her sons; she will grieve bitterly if either is taken by war. And yet she could stand there and tell me, with a sort of melanvided for the boys of the family is going to be complaints, debts, anxieties, responsibilities—no heart-ening assurance of the family's blighting his life now, at the terrible fruit juices, vinegar or cooked battle front, but it has destroyed dressings that require little fat. ing plans for rest and recuperation -just the old tedious complaining and protesting against the general

injustices of fate. Another woman wrote to her son that she and his grandmother, who have been living together, have had so serious a disagreement that they are going to law about it. She asks him to answer several questions by return mail: Does he remember his grandmother saying that his mother had been mixed up in an unsavory love affair before her marriage; will he testify that his grandmother often called his mother ugly names, and so on.

The lonely son, wasting the best years of his life in the bleak Aleutians, must sit down and handle the quarrels of the two undisciplined

Runs Down His Wife.

Another woman writes her son disparaging letters about his wife. Mollie, she says, is a perfectly good girl, but she has friends at the house all the time who are laughing and making candy and going to afternoon movies, and the motherin-law thinks it is a shame to have Bob's money wasted that way.

And again a homesick man must open letters that fill his heart with bitterness and despair.

As for the "dear John" lettersthese have become a recognized aid to the enemy! The "dear John" letter is a missive that opens with the shattering phrase, "I have been thinking of us and our married life, and I believe we would both be happier if we were to obtain a divorce and make a fresh start with

Don't smile at this and dismiss it as only an occasional thing. It is a very real and desperate menace to the morale and peace of mind of our fighting boys. Hundreds and hundreds of these cruel notes go forth daily, and the effect they have on a man whose nerves are shaken already by danger, by the loss of comrades, by homesickness, mosquitoes and strangeness may be imagined. The woman he loves doesn't want



Already shaken by danger, home

MORALE WRECKERS

It is every woman's duty to try to preserve the morale of the men of her family who are fighting. She should do everything she can to preserve and, when possible, to improve the situation at home. When there are difficulties that she cannot cope with, she should tell her soldier little or nothing about them. Perhaps they will clear up-in any case they can wait. Seldom can the poor fellow in a distant camp do anything about them, anyway. He has enough to contend with, struggling against the enemy, and enduring discomforts of all sorts. Letters disparaging his wife, telling of family quarrels and financial problems, do serious damuge to the spirit of the front-line fighters.

ty for which he is fighting aren't everything else, too

Grim, Vital Days Ahead.

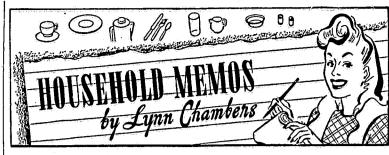
I would like to remind these letter-writing women that we are going into grim and vital postwar days. Every woman in America will be a help or a burden to the 12 hard-cooked eggs building of the new world thenthere will be no half-way. Thou- I tablespoon lemon juice sands of helpless, selfish, disconleft out of the running, their chil- % teaspoon sait dren rebellious at the change that 14 teaspoon pepper gives them a strange home and a new father, their new mates not inclined to be particularly considerate of the women who coldbloodedly could drop old mates during the

crisis of war. But thank God there will be other women, millions of them-women who have written nothing but encouraging and loving letters during this time: women who have planned practically for the homecoming, are saving money, are out of debt and are full of ideas for Tom's future; women who know that more than our pilgrim or pioncer mothers needed them, we need now courage, self-control. economy and foresight. It is the male, concerned with his welfare other salad platters. and that of the children and able to live on her income, no matter how small, who is going to be the inspiration, the essential creator, of the new America.

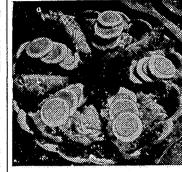
Shifting Curtains Around

Makes Them Last Longer Curtains hung at windows exposed to bright light or sunshine will give out first. Sunlight causes the fabric to lose its strength. It is a good plan to make top and bottom hems of the same width and then reverse them each time they are washed or cleaned. Curtains from sunny windows can be shifted occasionally to the shady side of the house. Sheets usually wear thin first in the upper center, so reverse them from head to foot occasionally. Mend all snags promptly. Slitch together the outside edges of sheets worn thin in the middle, split them down the center and hem the edges.

More Cloth Coming Soon The supply of yard goods for home-sewing in small towns and rural areas will soon be increased. Preference ratings will be given to merchants in these areas for the distribution of about 150,000,000 yards of cotton fabrics, including pongee, voile, sheeting 42 inches and wider, print cloths, outing flannel and gingham. This decision follows a similar order, issued during the first quarter of this year, which was aimed to correct unequal distribu-



Heap Salad Bowls With Vitamins For Summer



Help Yourself to Vitamins: This pretty as a picture salad bowl is made simply by alternating rows of ettuce wedges and mounds of potato salad, garnished with slices of hard-cooked eggs. It's hearty enough for a main dish, even with-

Summer is the time to heap high the salad bowl and bring generous portions of nature's bounty of vitamins and minerals to the table.

Active summer play and strenuous work calls for big servings of health and energy producing foods. That's why the salad bowls play a major role in the menu parade.

There's another reason, too, why salads are going to be important this season. When the butcher has no meat and the cupboard yields nothing of inter-

est to the homemaker, she can always go to her refrigerator and bring out lovely greens, juicy fruits and berries, toss them together and serve an eye-appealing salad. If more substantial salads are desired, especially for main dishes, they can be flecked with the white and gold of protein-rich eggs, unrationed, luscious bits of chicken or well chilled and subtly seasoned fish.

Vary the trimmings and change the dressing, and no salad can ever become monotonous. If oils and fats either home or secure. The devas- for salad dressings are scarce, put tating breath of war is not only them together with sour cream. Here are two main dish salads tha

will go over big with the family. One stars eggs and the other chick-

Star Deviled Eggs.

(12 Eggs) 2 tablespoons salad dressing 114 teaspoons mustard tented women will find themselves 116 tenspoons Worcestershire sauce

> Remove shells from eggs Cut a slice from both ends, cutting the slice at the round end deep enough to expose the yolk. Cut deep gashes into the egg white around the rounded end to give a

saw tooth edge. Pressing gently at the bottom, force out the yolk. Press yolk and egg white that was cut off through the sieve. Add remaining ingredients and beat until smooth. Refill shells. Garnish tops if desired.

To serve as a salad, lay on top of sprigs of watercress or other woman who is strong, faithful to her greens. Or, use as a garnish for

*Buffet Chicken Salad. (Serves 8) 2 cups cubed, cooked chicken 14 cup french dressing 4 cups boiled rice, chilled

Lynn Says

Different Salad Dressings: If fruits and vegetables do not give enough variety to make salads interesting, season the dressing it-

self for flavor plus. Club Dressing: To 1 cup of mayonnaise, add 1 tablespoor chopped currants, 1 tablespoon chopped raisins, 1 tablespoon chopped nuts. Indian Dressing: 1/4 cup of

chow-chow to I cup mayonnaise. Tartar Dressing is excellent on fish salads. To I cup mayonnaise. add 2 tablespoons chopped sweet gherkins, I tablespoon capers, I tablespoon chopped parsley and 2 tablespoons chopped olives. Thousand Island Dressing is

easily tossed together. For a cup of mayonnaise, use ¼ cup chili sauce, I tablespoon green pepper and chopped stuffed olives.

Egg Dressing is lovely to look at when made by adding I chopped hard-cooked egg, 1 tablespoon chopped pimiento and 1 tablespoon India relish to 1 cup may-

A bit of leftover meat? Add it to the eggs. Especially good are diced ham, tongue or dried

Lynn Chambers' Point-Easy Menus

*Buffet Chicken Salad Sliced Tomatoes and Cucumbers Potato Chips Pickles and Olives Orange Rolls or Biscuits Fresh Berries with Cream Refrigerator Cookies Beverage

Recipe given,

Salt and pepper to taste Boiled dressing or mayonnaise Lettuce or greens Jellied cranberry sauce Deviled eggs

Combine chicken and french dressng. Chill about I hour. Meanwhile cook rice until fluffy and season well according to taste. Just before serving combine chicken, chilled rice and enough salad dressing to moisten. Season. Arrange in individual lettuce cups on platter or salad bowl. Garnish with thick slices of cranberry sauce and deviled eggs. Top with additional dressing, if desired.

There's nothing so cooling on a warm summer night than a jellied tomato salad Although this recipe provides for a simple salad, it may be varied by adding leftover or chopped, fresh vegetables to it.

Jellied Tomato Salad.

quart hot, stewed tomatoes teaspeon salt 2 packages of lemon flavored gelating 1/2 cup sliced, pickled onions or teaspoon onion juice 4 cup sliced stuffed olives

🖟 cup diced green pepper cup diced celery Dissolve gelatin in hot tomatoes. Add salt and cool. When gelatin begins to congeal, add the remaining ingredients. Place in a large mold, rinsed with cold water, or in

individual molds. Chill until firm. Serve on salad greens with either french dressing or mayonnaise. A fruity salad doubles for the dessert, if so desired. This one is especially good when served with tiny

cakes or finger cookies: Ocean Breeze Salad.

3 tablespoons lemon juice 2 cups diced honeydew melon 1 cun watermelon balls or slices % cup white grapes, split and seeded 1.cup grapefruit sections

11/2 tablespoons gelatin 1/4 cup cold water 14 cup sugar

3 tablespoons chopped maraschino Mix gelatin and water and let

stand 5 minutes. Dissolve over hot water. Combine fruits, lemon juice, sugar and ginger. Chill thoroughly. Add gelatin and pour into

a mold. Chill un til firm. If it is obtainable, 1/2 pint whipped cream may be added to fruits before they are mixed with



Green, White and Gold: As picturesque as a garden in full bloom is this simple salad made by placing chilled deviled eggs on crisp sprigs of watercress. Use extra dressing if desired, and serve for luncheon or side dish at garden sup-

Your salad can be better than just "passing" if your dressings are smooth and well seasoned so the can complement the other ingredients of the salad bowl. Here are several good basic suggestions: Cooked Dressing.

½ cup sugar

1/3 cup vinegar ½ cup evaporated milk ½ teaspoon salt

Dissolve sugar in vinegar and stir until it dissolves. Beat in milk until mixture thickens. Pour over cab bage or other greens. Sour Cream Dressing.

½ cup sour cream % cup vinegar ½ cup sugar ½ teaspoon salt

Mix ingredients in order given,

Thousand Island Dressing. cup mayonnaise tablespoons chili sauce tablespoons chopped green peppe tablespoons pimiento tablespoons chopped sweet pickle Mix all ingredients in order given

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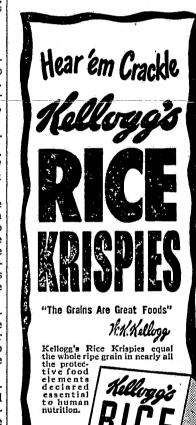
One hand is tatooed before marriage to remind the women of the sorrows of marital life: the other is tatooed after the wedding to help her, it is said, "endure the agonies of married life."

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WHEN the completed history of our struggle with Japan finally is written, considerable attention should be given the story of how an agricultural implement parts manufacturer - whose products are used every day in every rural section of America, developed one of the most spectacular fighter vehicles of the war.

The company is Ingersoll Steel & Disc division of Borg-Warner corporation. The war weapon its engineers designed and that one of its factories manufactures is the Beach-Buster (LVT-3), the very latest development in amphibian invasion

The Beach-Buster made its combat debut at Okinawa. Its performance met with favor from high navy and marine officers-so much so that space in the history books of the future might as well be reserved now so its story may be told.

To the Japs, the amphibian tanks forces-the LVT-1, the LVT-2, the LVT-4, and now the Beach-Buster, have proved a lethal headache. So, while the record of their wartime usefulness cannot be completed until final victory, a sidelight on their development and manufacture is in order now. It is a recital of which every American, and particularly every farmer, can be proud.

As early as 1933 the problem of

designing an amphibian tractor, capable of taking relief deep into the mangrove swamps of the Florida Everglades, was assigned to Donald Roebling, a year-around resident of Clearwater, by his father. Young Roebling sprang from a

line of inventors, his grandfather, Col. Washington Roebling, being the designer of the famous Brooklyn bridge. And he and his father had seen with their own eyes the devastation, human misery and helplessness that had been left in the wake of the 1933 Florida hurricane.

Roebling knew that only a vehicle that operated equally well on land and water could do the job that was mented at Clearwater with models. He designed and tested hulls and tractor treads, power plants and gear ratios. And finally, the first Roebling amphibian, the LVT-1 or Alligator, rolled from his machine shop at Clearwater.

That vehicle later was demonstrated to the navy off the Virginia coast at a time when our military forces were occupied in peacelime war maneuvers. British military officials eyed the performance of the LVT-1 with keen interest, for they were already at war.

Early in the fall of 1941, C. S. Davis, president, and Roy C. Ingersoll, vice president of Borg-Warner, were called by the navy to Washington. They agreed to study design and suggest improvements of the Roebling amphibian tank, for even then we were close to war.

The result of that agreement was typically American. Not a marine expert but an automotive engineer. Ben A. Swennes, was charged with responsibility in the job. He began experiments and design in the Borg-Warner laboratories at Rockford, Ill. An Ingersoll factory at Kalamazoo, Mich., contracted to build 50 of the Alligators for the navy. And folks along historic Rock river, which winds through downtown Rockford, began to stay awake nights because of "that fellow Swennes's'' strange goings-on!

While Swennes was applying automotive principles to a sea-going job and, as he himself now admits, "incorporating unorthodox designs that | Leyte.

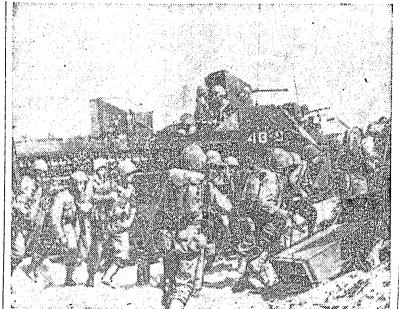
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Hitting the beach at Okinawa, these United States marines are unloading machine guns and equipment from a Beach-Buster.

no marine engineer would waste time with," the Ingersoll company began and completed its first "amthat have equipped our invasion track" contract. Meanwhile, such agricultural necessities as heattreated spring teeth for harrows, cultivators, weeders and rakes continued in production. Later, Ingersoll received a contract to manufacture the LVT-2 on a design supplied by the navy. Hundreds of LVT-2s were manufactured before the oftenaccelerated contract was completed, ahead of schedule.

Meanwhile, Swennes had put together an amphibian tank that today, as the Beach-Buster, is reputed to incorporate a greater amount of automotive design than any marine craft that floats. It worked. But before it was presented to the navy's bureau of ships, Swennes, watching tests in Florida, was seized with an inspiration.

Returning hurriedly to Rockford he worked for 48 uninterrupted hours, emerging with the design for a ramp gate which can be raised and lowered at the rear of the "amtrack." This single feature is credited with saving hundreds of lives. Using it, our invasion forces unload men, equipment, ammunition or supplies while facing the enemy. An entire tankload of materiel may be yanked out in a matter of moments. The importance of this is more fully realized when it is known that the Beach-Buster easily handles 10,000 pounds of cargo or 50 men fully

Danger of stalling in the face of the enemy is avoided by the tank's hydramatic transmission which "feels" for the beach, shifting automatically to the required gear ratio without attention from the driver as soon as the tracks on which it runs encounter any obstacle.

Numerous battle reports have come back to Kalamazoo, to the men and women who make the amtracks. of the prowess of their product. "Tough landings they have made easier. Almost impossible landings, ! like Tarawa, Saipan and, most recently, Iwo Jima, they have made possible," Rear Adm. C. H. Woodward told them last March when the navy returned, for permanent exhibit, the pilot "Model B" amphibian tank that Swennes had designed at Rockford.

Other facts were revealed by Admiral Woodward: Tarawa proved the LVT absolutely indispensable for successful amphibious attack: that at Saipan the LVTs were stars of the show, sliding over reefs, hitting the beach with guns blazing, plowing through the jungle; and, most amazing, that the LVTs made a surprise 125-mile sweep in a flanking movement around the southern horn of

Jap's eye view of a Beach-Buster as it roars ashore in a landing attack.

From Iwo Jima, Maj. Gen. Keller E. Rockey, commanding the fifth marine division, wrote to his friend, Roland D. Doane, Ingersoll sales manager; "Naturally the tail-gate jobs were much more useful, but all of them (LVTs) really saved our bacon in the early days of the show because they were the only vehicle that could negotiate the sand hills leading from the water's edge to the fighting zone.

"So the LVTs carried the beans and bullets directly from the ships to the front line units and carried the wounded on the return trip and they did this for some five or six days before we could get our motor transportation running." Such reports heartened the Inger-

soll workers. But production schedules were upped again and again. In the fall of 1944 additional employees were sorely needed, and Ingersoll officials tried a novel experi-

Into such typical rural Michigan communities as Paw Paw, Augusta, Vicksburg, Schoolcraft, Decatur and Lawton-10 towns, all told, within a 30-mile radius of Kalamazoo-moved a caravan in whose success the American people had a stake.

a newly completed Beach-Buster. Accompanying it were navy veterans, including a navy nurse, just home from battle duties. The vets told their stories. And follow-up crews received job applications the next day from those who wanted to join Ingersoil. Many were farmers who had harvested their crops. The caravan idea rates as the spearhead that helped Beach-Buster employment rise at Ingersoll's from a peacetime 300 to more than 1,800

National recognition of the production record of these workers followed last March 26 when Vox Pop broadcast its regular weekly program from Kalamazoo, interviewed plant employees. It came again on May 21 when the Army-Navy "E" was awarded the Borg-Warner fac-

Ingersoll inaugurated another novelty with free rides on the amphibians as a reward to workers for superior attendance records. practice interfered not at all with routine as all tanks are "battle tested" on land and one in every 50 is tested on water before they are placed in pairs on flat cars and started westward from Kalamazoo.

With the help of navy engineers constant tests are being conducted on the amtracks and refinements that are indicated by battle performance added. The headquarters of Ben Swennes has been moved to Kalamazoo and the results of his research are proved daily on lake, land and in swamp.

Co-ordinator of all this activity is R. S. ("Bob") Ingersoll, son of Roy and grandson of the late S. A. Ingersoll, founder of the company. His two uncles, Harold G. and Stephen L. Ingersoll, are directors of the Borg-Warner organization, Harold manages the Ingersoll plant at New Castle, Ind.; Stephen L. established the West Pullman works in 1929. When the emergency of World War II arose, four Ingersoli plantsat Chicago, Chicago Heights, New

Castle, Ind., and Kalamazoo, Mich., were in operation. Those who knew him say that had S. A. Ingersoll been alive to participate he would have found abiding satisfaction in the promptness with which all four were converted from

producing implements of peace to instruments of war. For here truly is a company that has beaten plowshares into swords.

He Invented a Rolling Disc Blade to Cut Tough Prairie Sod S. A. Ingersoll, founder of the com- and lumber business already was rel maker, catering to the needs of pany, had decided as a farm boy established. fruit growers. He built and operatthat a sharp rolling disc blade was It is fold of him that in those earlier times, S. A. Ingersoll was

ed a canning factory. Twenty years after the business was started, he moved it to Galesa man of many duties. Simultaneously, he was plant manager, workburg, Ill. It was there during World War I, supplying necessary parts for man salesman, shipping clerk, traffarm implements when the plant fic manager, bookkeeper and treasurer. So that his income might be was completely destroyed by fire, ly accepted by farm implement supplemented and the opportunity Undismayed, Ingersoll workers conmanufacturers. And he opened a for steady employment spread more | tinued their production, during a bitfactory to manufacture the blades evenly among his employees, the ter winter, while new walls and roof at Sandoval, Ill., where his grain senior ingersoll became also a bar- were built around them.

Service Flag

By EDWARD GRASSFIELD McClure Newspaper Syndicate, WNU Features.

DOLICE Lieutenant Moore tried to assume a stern expression as he looked down at the little old lady standing before him.

"You say you are an impostor and that you want to give yourself up?" he asked kindly. "Now just who was it you imposed on, Mrs. Murray?" "On my country, Your Honor," she replied. In spite of her determined air she could not keep her voice from trembling, "I didn't mean any harm. You see, sir, I'm a widow without any children and it all started when I began to walk in he park evenings to get a little air. "The boys in service are such fine

looking young men. When I heard them laughing and talking I used to pretend that one of them was mine, especially when he would say something about writing home to

Her voice broke a little and she blinked rapidly before beginning anew. "The next thing I did was to start noticing the mailman. Every day he brings a letter from overseas to some house on the block. I know because I watch him from behind the curtain.

"I envied everyone who had a little service flag in the window until couldn't bear it any longer. I bought one and hung it in my own window, even though I had no right to. I sit down every night and write a letter to my boy abroad. Of course I never post it because I haven't anyone to send it to, but it makes me feel as if I have.'



This precinct was mentioned, that's why I came here.

She took a little lace-trimmed handkerchief from her pocketbook and dabbed at her eyes.

"Here, now!" The policeman came from behind the desk and put his arm around her. "I guess we all make believe once in a while." "Not wrong?" She stared at him incredulously. "Why, I saw in the paper that it's wrong to pretend

when it concerns your country. This precinct was mentioned, that's why I came here." She dug down into her bag and handed him a newspaper clipping. BOY IMPOSTOR JAILED

Last night police arrested George Marlin of 32 Chester street. The 18vear-old youth, an orphan, is charged with illegally wearing an army uniform and will be arraigned tomorrow morning at the 2nd precinct.

The policeman laughed. "That's different, Mrs. Murray, and even that worked out all right. At first the boy was turned down for some minor defect and he was self-conscious because he couldn't get in the army. The judge suspended sentence when he found out the boy's motive, and the army was willing to accept him for limited service."

He looked at the clipping again and whistled. "Wait a minute. There's something here I didn't see before." He turned to the attendant. "Mike, bring that boy out again. I want to speak to him.' Mrs. Murray looked up frightened. "Officer, I hope I haven't made trouble for him by coming

The lieutenant didn't answer but he smiled as the boy approached. "George, this is Mrs. Murray," he began by way of introduction. "She is an impostor, too, and in a sense an orphan like yourself."

The youth seemed puzzled, looking from one to the other. "You are hereby ordered to write to her twice a week and to adopt her as your service mother. Do you

agree?" "Gosh!" George blurted out, "I'll say I agree—that is, if Mrs. Murray really wants me to. Gee, I'll be getting letters like the rest of the fellows-just as if I had folks!"

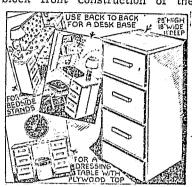
Mrs. Murray threw her arms around his neck. "Write to me quickly, George. Write as soon as you find out where you will be stationed." Then she hurried out the The lieutenant noticed George's

bewilderment at her quick departure. "She's in a hurry, George," he said. "She has a mighty important flag to hang up." The lad still didn't understand, but

he was happy. That morning he had acquired an Uncle Sam and now he had a mother. One thing he did know; he'd never let either one of them down

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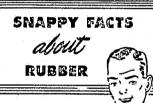
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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH John J. Foster, Minister

11:00 Morning Worship, Sermon to be given by Rev John J Foster.
The choir will practice on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Dr and Mrs G L Kneeland. Anyone interested in joining the choir is invited to attend practice that evening.

METHODIST CHURCH William Penner, Pastor

9:45 Church School, Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent. 11:00 Morning Worship Service. The Rev Elwin Wilson will have charge of the service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY Sunday services at 10:45 A. M. Wednesday evening meetings, at which testimonies of Christian Science healing are given, at 7:30 P.M. All are cordially invited to at-

and Churches of Christ, Scientist, 31p on Sunday, July 15.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord age: rath prepared his throne in the 30at. heavens; and his kingdom ruleth the cover all" (Psalms 103: 19).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages. "Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and thy dominion endureth throughout all generations'

(Psalms 145: 13).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science textbook, Science FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Christian Science textbook, Science fouse with six rooms and bath, electric lights and pump, shed and stable, space for garden, at Steam Mill village. HERBERT WINSLOW Oak Hill, R F D 2, South Portland, Maine. Will be at Steam Mill until Maine. Will be at Steam Mill until July 16.

Christian Science textbook, Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Scripture with Science and Health with Key to the Science and Health with Ke forever unseen" (Page 208: 20-24).

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RENT CONTROL—All persons who rent housing accommodations of any type in rent controlled areas must register with OPA Area Rent Offices.

SOUND THINKING ON RECONVERSION

As the war draws toward its final stage, clear thinking is es-sential if the things we have fought for, or against are not lost in the shuffle.

The most important development since V-E Day is the announced policy of the War Production Board, as presented in the report of Chairman Krug. It sets forth the principles that will govern the decisions of the WPB during the reconversion period and stands out as a document of history-making importance. It affirms faith in free enterprise. It rejects the idea that government planning, in the sense of control by blue print, can be as effective or lead to as desirable ends as private planning.... It takes its stand on the simple ground that government regulation, adminstrations and control would impede and slow up the reconversion process and diminish production and employment. The keynote is the declaration that it is necessary to get rid of regula-tions and production limitations as quickly as possible. They auto-matically put ceilings on initiative, imagination, and resourcefulness, the very qualities the country will need most if we are to have a re-silient and rapidly expanding economy after the defeat of Japan.
"As the cuthacks increase," says Mr Krug, "some areas are bound to experience unemployment....In many areas, time will solve such dislocations as peacetime indus-tries up and hire workers; but in some areas, special measures taken to maintain employment would merely postpone the eventual day of teckoning as for instance a war boom town which is greatly expanded because of a particular war plant with little or no postwar future. We must prepare to meet such emergencles when they

ore real; but we must also be pre-pared to resist the pressure when they would only delay necessary Mr Krug's position is eminently sound Business and labor both can take heart from his statemanlike uttercances. As between efforts to shelter people from inescapable readjustments, and policies relying upon government economy and individual enterprise to establish sound general prosperity, the advantage is all with the latter. Special measures for the benefit of some people or commulties are to the expense of others while policies designed for the general benefit help all go forward together.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mr and Mrss Ranald Stevens and family, Mr and Mrs Richard Stevens and family spent the week end Balley's Island. Mr and Mrs Hoyt Gunther and

family spent Wednesday at R M.
Rean's at Sunday River.
Mr and Mrs Ernest Swan and children spent Thursday evening with her parents, Mr and Mrs L C

Stevens.
Pic and Mrs Dana Jackson were guests of Mr and Mrs Augustus Carter, Tuesday evening.
Thomas Carter spent the week and with his grandmother, Mrs Fannie Carter.



Mr and Mrs George M Schools (Eva May Ladd, Sp (S) 1c), who were married at Bethel June 24.

FRANKLIN GRANGE Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond

met Saturday evening, July 7th with a good attendance. Several vi-sitors were present. Ladies night vas observed, Alice Dudley Master. Eva Twitchell Beatrice Judkins Chaplain. Flora Col-Martha Dudley Secretary. Ada Hancoci Edith Poland

Assistant Steward, Virginia Cole Lady Assistant Steward, Mildred Buck Pomona, Myrtle Hayes Annie Bryant Agnes Bryant Ceres, Flora, Gate Keeper, Cora Bennett l'rogram

Steward,

SAVE THE SPIRIT Miss Elsie Redman Plano Solo Tap Dancing (encore) AND SAVE AMERICA Miss Joyce Cole Miss Emma Davis By Dr Alfred P Haake Reading,

Music, accordian (with encore)

Miss Joyce Cole
Remarks by visitors from West
Paris, Bear River and Pittston
Granges.

Closing song God Be with You Closing song, God Be with You Till We Meet Again Mrs Cleora Adams of Sumner an economist and a business man, showed nature pictures which aren't you?" I replied "Yes." "And

were very beautiful.

Refreshments of cookies ounch were served and social followed. The next meeting will be observed as Golden Sheaf night and will be in charge of the fifty year members.

family, Mrs Carrie Bartlett, Mr and Mrs Cleve Bartlett and daughter, Shirley, Mrs Ed Bean, and Mrs Ida showed him how futile economic Blake, spent July 4th as guests of logic can be so long as people pre-Mr and Mrs Clifton Bean at their camp at Howard's Pond.

Mrs Helen Seacord and daughter, Shirley of Buffalo, N Y and ing the responsibility and power of niece, June Austin, of Springfield, Mass, are guests of Mrs Seacord's father, Cleve Bartlett.

Mrs Chester Harrington and our cities, towns, and villages right children are visiting her mother at and the country will be right.

Marilyn and Carolyn Noyes are guests of their aunt, Mrs Burton

Abbott. Pfc Dana Jackson and wife of Washington, D C, are guests of selves with the various make-shifts her mother, Mrs Jorgen Olson for to make the world safe for man-Frank Garrity from Gardiner is boarding with Mr and Mrs Richard

Houle.
Mr and Mrs Ormando Farwell returned Monday night from Green-ville, where they had been visiting

Mr and Mrs Roy Smith and son Jimmy from Lovell visited her par-euts, Mr and Mrs Ormando Farwell over the holiday.

SOUTH BETHEL

Elmer Ingalis of West Paris called at the home of James Spinney last Sunday.

inst Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Jim Reynolds and for the way in which he uses his Mr and Mrs Ramsey Reynolds and two children of Sunday River im.

The destruction of any one free. two children of Sunday River spent an evening at James Spinuey's last week.

Leah Spinney spent two days last week in Portland at the home of her nunt, Mrs Wm. Danforth.

The destruction of any one free-dom must lead ultimately to the destruction of the rest. When man substitutes the State of God, free-dom goes, men fall to the level of colors.

Mrs Robert Kirk is at the home of animals, and nations revert to or Mrs Frank Robertson. Carl Brooks, U S Army, called

on his Uncle Frank Brooks one day last week.
Guy Parker Jr, of the U S Navy

Mr and Mrs Guy Parker were in Lovell over the week end at the home of Mrs Parker's parents, Mr

nome of Airs Farker's parents, and Airs Butters.
Air and Airs Wesley Bean and family of Hanover spent Sunday at Mr and Airs Frank Robertson's.

ROWE HILL

Mr and Mrs Colby Ring, together with Mrs Hope Caskey of Portland and Mrs Norma Martin and children of Greenwood Centre went on a picule the Ith.
Miss Rosalla Palmer returned
from Berlin, N H Saturday.
Mrs Winnie Hansoom was an ov-

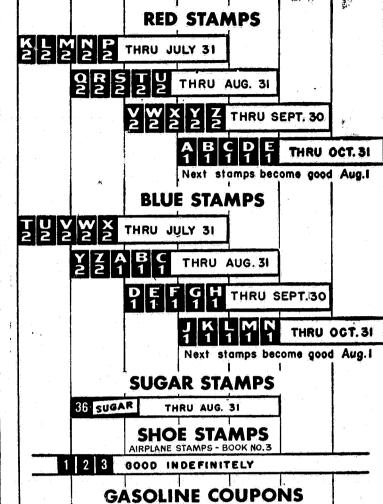
ernight visitor of Mrs Beryl Mar-lin, Greenwood Centre, Sunday tin, Greenwood Centre, Sunday night, Mr and Mrs Chester Record spent

Mr and Mrs Chester Record spent
the 4th with Mrs Margaret Bryant
and family.
Mr and Mrs Durward Lang and
Merle of Locke Mills called at Wilmer Bryant's the 4th. They were
also there Thursday working in

their garden.

Mr and Mrs Colby Ring were callers at Will Yates, Tubbs District, Sunday afternoon.

Wilmer Bryant worked for Colby Ring Monday morning, cultivating.



Recently a man asked me, "You're

you're Mayor of your town, too, right?" I said, "Right." "And you

learned your stuff in the practical school of hard knocks, didn't you?"

replied that I did; that there were plenty of knocks and they were hard enough to suit me.

"Well then," he demanded,

showed him how futile economic

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THRU SEPT. 21

"where do you get this religious revival idea that you're spreading all over the place?" about 5:30 p m July 3 for a fire on the roof of the engine room at the N S Stowell Co mill. Little damage was done. It was the first Pyt Malcolm Farwell left for So I told him the story of more than ten years of errort to help than Bartlett and correct delusions and falacies since July 5, 1924. A tarvia crew is working on the Bethel-Locke Mills road.

which the American people have swallowed since the depression. I EXTENSION CHATS

fer prejudices which they hug to their hearts. Virginia Brown, H D A
"What shall I use for shortening?" is the question many housegovernment. That is why I believe in working out our problems at

Cottonseed oil, corn oil, salad But the real trouble with the world is that men have turned from the worship of God to the worship of Alammon. Until that is Margarine, 1 cup plus 1/2 tsp salt Suel-ground, 1/2 cup plus 1/4 tsp salt Drippings, bacon fat,

corrected, we are deluding our-selves with the various make-shifts tasses, spices to mask the flavor. Chicken fat, % cup, plus % tsp

erica is that this nation was built frankly on the solid rock of faith in God. In our beginnings we wor-With the coming of strawberries many women are also wondering how best to can these berries for shipped God as the Creator of man good results. The following direct tions have proved very satisfactory and man's rights. We recognized Divine Law as superior to man-Precook strawberries 2 to 5 mir made law, and that even govern-ments must obey God's laws or ulutes, pack in fruit jars, fill with boiling hot syrup or juice and protimately be destroyed for their disohedlence.
That is why we cannot separate the five great freedoms—freedom,

> Remove any scum. of its own.
> To can without sugar use ripe

A devout preacher, leading a great movement, helped me to realize these truths. Criticized and evday last week.

Guy Farker Jr, of the U S Navy is spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Guy Parker.

Leah Spinney spent last week ted in the crusade for freedom on a level of spiritual ideals. Some day a short precooking of 2 to 4 minstrand Mrs Guy Parker were in the crusade for interesting pour into containance of the spiritual ideals. Some day a short precooking of 2 to 4 minstrand Mrs Guy Parker were in magnificent contribution to our country for ballogue us to specifie and process the time required. country, for helping us to see that we must save the spirit if we would

save America. As an economist and business man who has explored the fields of economics, politics and the social sciences for a remedy for our ills, I come with you to the one field where we can find the answer. Whether we like it or not, we must have a genuine religious revival i we are to save our material civilization from self-destruction.

CARD OF THANKS

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Mere words cannot express our appreciation, so we simply say can Legion and its Auxillary and the State Guard, who assisted or attended the Memorial Service to Lawrence. Also for the beautiful flowers and

many acts of sympathy by word or deed at this time and all through the past year.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Perry Robert Perry

In South Harpswell, July 8, by Rev Bernard Estes, Richard, Crockett of Bethel and Miss Betty M Carl Brooks is spending his furlough in West Paris and Greenwood. He has 40 days. He was a
caller in the neighborhood Friday.
Mont Brooks and family attended Grange Saturday night.

Years **A**go

dance at the performances of Hunt's circus, Monday. About 50 children are in the Vacation School which opened Mon-

day. A group of Berlin singers gave an excellent concert at the Me-thodist Church, Tuesday evening. Warren Blake began work on the warren Biake began work on the cellar for a house-on-Tyler-Street-Deaths—July 3, Miss Elvira Holt, aged 79 years. July 7, Mrs Eva B Hastings, aged 73 years. 20 YEARS AGO—1925

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Apples, peaches, and pears re-quire the addition of water. Use quire the addition of water. Use only the smallest quantity of water ter necessary. When preparing apples, peaches, and pears, drop them into cold salt water (1/2 tu-blespoon of salt per quart of wa-ter), to prevent discoloring. Sweet-ening may be added when the jars are opened for use.

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DESIGN FOR LIVING The Danville (Virginia mercial Appeal (Democrat) Much has been said s Day about the "immeasur we owe to those who ha their lives in the struggle

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the principles his country for-honesty, unselfished play. Here is a suggested sch part payments, small in th Payment No. 1-pay mor tion to our wives and chi the breakfast table. Payre the breakfast table. Paym 2—bay the apology we owl other fellow for calling his on something we were not l'ayment No. 3—pay more the church - not to critisminister or to set a good to the children - but to se we ourselves need to get :

to the children - but to se we ourselves need to get Payment No. 1—pay our bi of them. Payment No. 5—fiddler when we've dance least, he honest with our viusland) about it. Paymen —pay back the money we on the income tax. Paymen —pay a new kind of atter the other man's complaints ably we caused them.

Regular payments such a will help build a world wort for. Such a world is, after only montiment worth erec those who have given their we stop talking about measurable debt and starturing up the way we may, never even the score. But come much closer to the having "paid in full." ANDREWS NASH

Word has been received marriage of Donald Andrew Miss Verna Nash at the fir gregational Church, India Ind, on June 21. Mr Andrews son of Mr and Mrs Rosed drews of Bethel. Mrs Andrews of Ada, Minn, They a ing in Indianpolis.